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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No.: **10/531,314**

Applicant: **John McNicol, et al.**

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Title: **OPTICAL DISPERSION COMPENSATION IN THE ELECTRICAL DOMAIN IN AN OPTICAL COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM**

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**RESPONSE**

Sir:

This is further to the Office Action dated August 9, 2010. Applicant wishes to amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims:** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks:** begin on page 15 of this paper.